

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph [0001] with the following.

[0001] This application claims benefit of 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of provisional application Serial No. 60/230,099, filed September 5, 2000 and entitled "Methods and Apparatus for Transporting CNG," hereby incorporated herein by reference, and is related to U.S. Patent No. 6,584,781 patent application, entitled "Methods and Apparatus for Compressed Gas", ~~filed concurrently herewith and hereby~~ incorporated herein by reference.